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Hickman Valley Pipe Water Users
C/O Ed White
PO Box 111
TEASDALE, UT 84773

RE: COMPLIANCE ACHIEVED / SEAA 1270

Dear Hickman Valley Pipe Water User:

On October 7, 2008, the State Engineer initiated the referenced agency action and sent notice to install a functional and accurate measuring device on the pipe associated with your diversion.

Subsequently the Division of Water Rights worked with some of the users to install a suitable Ultra sonic measuring device. We appreciate these efforts in addressing the requirements for a suitable measuring device on you pipe system. This letter serves to close this compliance issue.

The installed measuring device should be checked regularly and records kept on a continuous basis. Any sluicing done that does not constitute a water delivery, should also be coordinated with the water commissioner and tracked so that it is not counted against the water delivered for irrigation use. This amount should be deducted from the annual meter reading to that is used for assessment purposes. You should share your meter readings with the Water Commissioner after the end of each irrigation season.

Please contact the Lower Fremont Water Commissioner, Becky Taft at (435) 425-3206, for any follow up requirements. Please be aware that maintenance of the equipment remains as the responsibility with all the Hickman Valley Pipe water users. You should consult regularly with the Water Commissioner or the Division of Water Rights to assure proper maintenance and continued functioning of the measuring device is completed to our satisfaction.

Thank you for your cooperation in attending to this matter in a timely fashion. If you have any questions concerning this notice, please contact Mike Silva, Distribution Engineer by phone at 801-538-7430 or by e-mail at MikeSilva@Utah.Gov.

Sincerely,

Mike Silva
Distribution Engineer

pc: Kirk Forbush / Regional Engineer
Kerry Carpenter, Enforcement
Becky Taft / Water Commissioner / PO BOX 154 / Bicknell UT 84715

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